



Naval Research Laboratory



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“GOVERNMENT SHOULD MAINTAIN A GREAT RESEARCH LABORATORY TO DEVELOP GUNS, NEW EXPLOSIVES AND ALL THE TECHNIQUE OF MILITARY AND NAVAL PROGRESSION WITHOUT ANY VAST EXPENSE.”

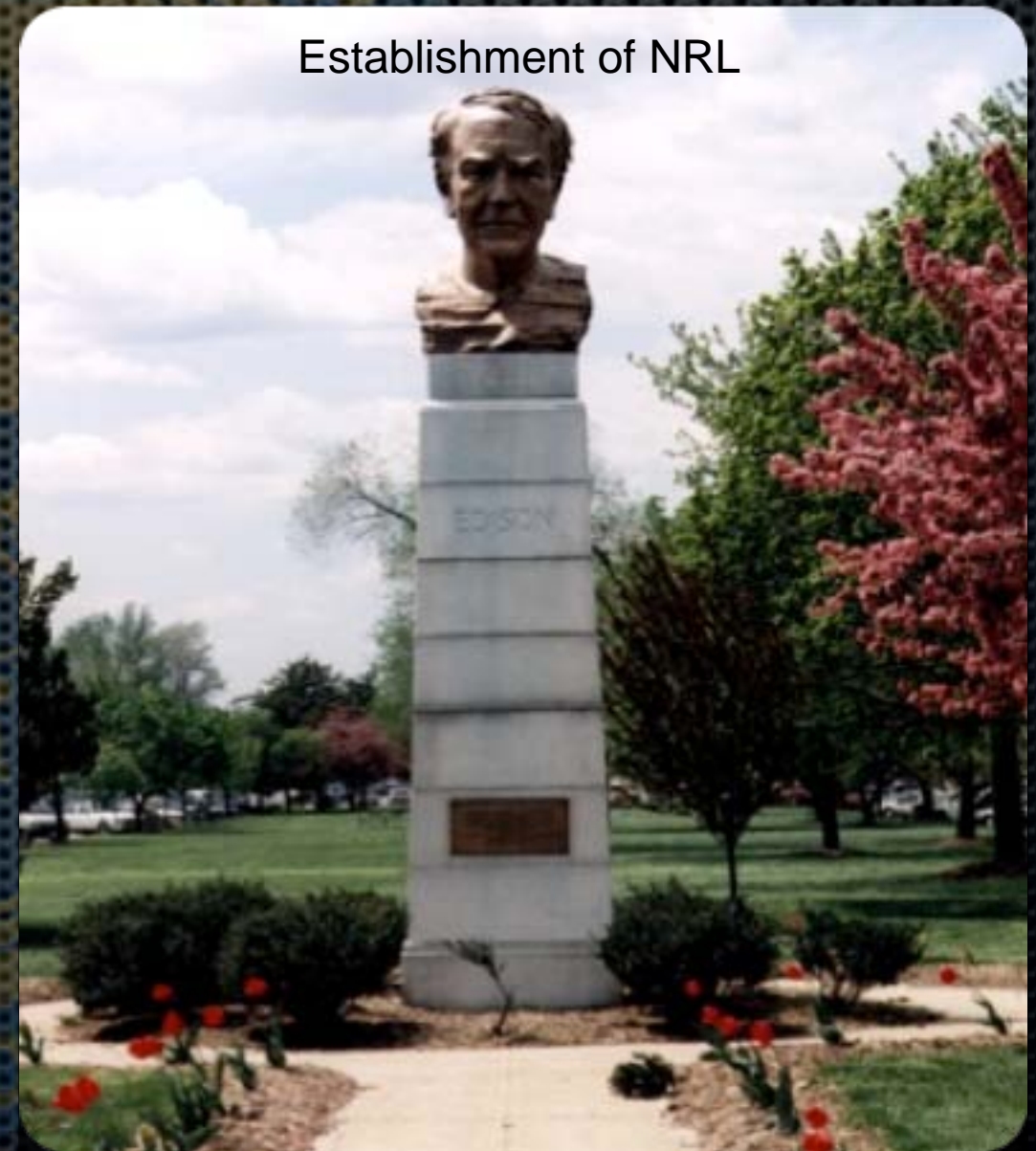
THOMAS A. EDISON

THE NEW YORK TIMES MAGAZINE
SUNDAY, MAY 30, 1915

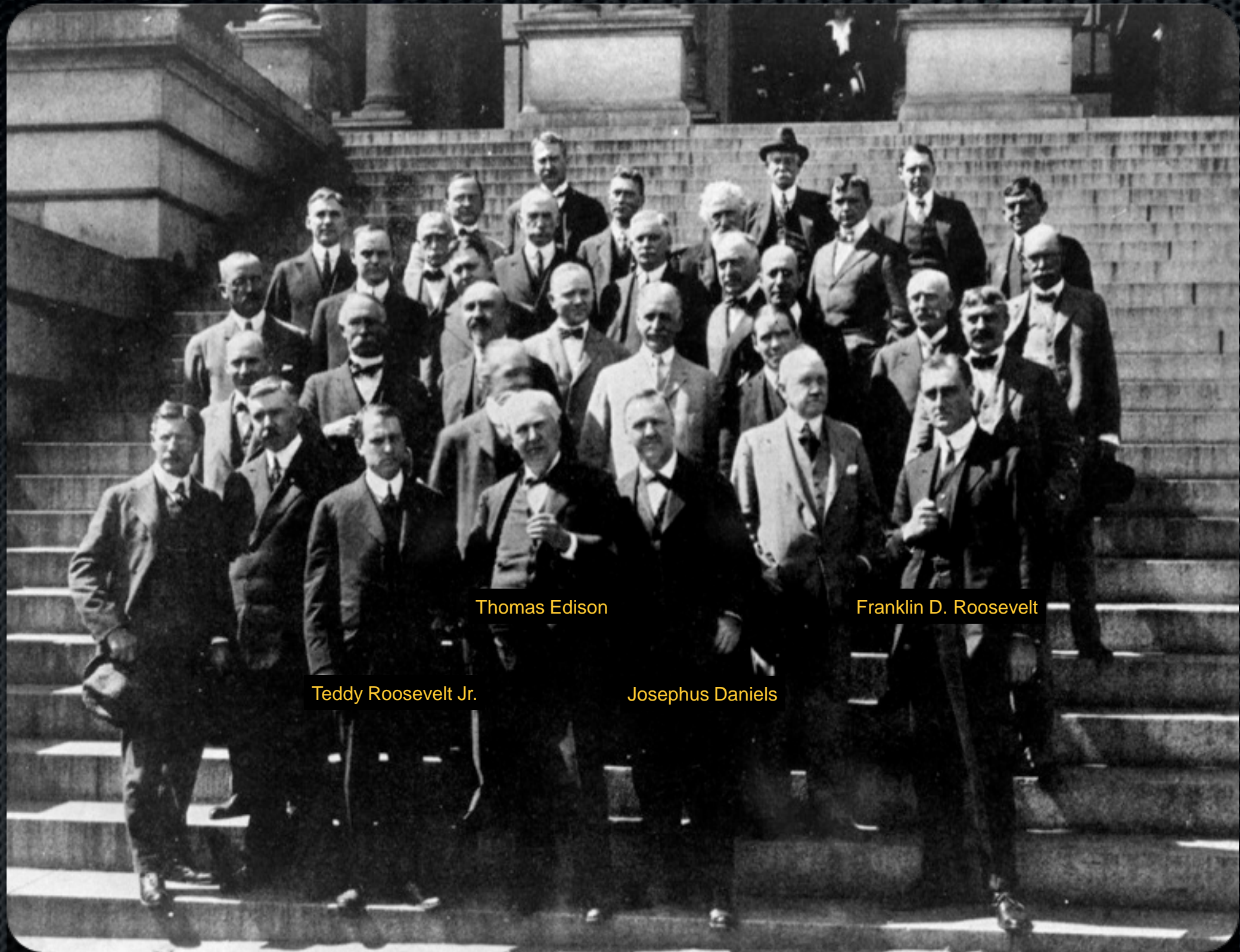
A WORLD-CLASS LABORATORY

- Idea followed the sinking of the Lusitania in 1915
- Secretary Josephus Daniels Established Naval Consulting Board with Edison Chair, meeting October 7, 1915
- August 29, 1916 Congress appropriates funds to establish the Lab
- Delayed by WW-I, Assistant Secretary of the Navy, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr. Commissions the Lab at Bellevue site on July 2, 1923

Establishment of NRL



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NRL Mission

- To conduct a broadly based multidisciplinary program of scientific research and advanced technological development directed toward maritime applications of new and improved materials, techniques, equipment, systems and ocean, atmospheric, and space sciences and related technologies.
- Primary in-house research for the physical, engineering, space, and environmental sciences
- Broadly based applied research and advanced technology development program in response to identified and anticipated Navy and Marine Corps needs
- Broad multidisciplinary support to the Naval Warfare Centers
- Space & space systems technology development & support
- Designated as the Navy's corporate laboratory by SECNAV 1991

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Lines of Business

- Sensors, Electronics and Electronic Warfare
- Materials/Processes
- Battlespace Environments
- Undersea Warfare
- Information Systems Technology
- Space Platforms
- Technology Transfer

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Assistant Secretary of the Navy
(Research, Development & Acquisition)
The Honorable Sean Stackley

Chief of Naval Research
RADM Nevin P. Carr, Jr.

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CAPT. Paul C. Stewart, USN

Director of Research
Dr. John Montgomery

Business Operations
Mr. D. Therning

Systems Directorate
Dr. G. Borsuk

Materials Science and
Component Technology
Dr. B. B. Rath

Ocean and Atmospheric
Science & Technology
Dr. E. Franchi

Naval Center for
Space Technology
Mr. P. G. Wilhelm

Radar
Electronic Warfare
Optical Sciences
Information Technology

Chemistry
Materials Science & Technology
Comp. Phys & Fluid Dynamics
Plasma Physics
Electronics Science & Tech
Biomolecular Science & Engineering

Acoustics
Remote Sensing
Oceanography
Marine Geosciences
Marine Meteorology
Space Sciences

Space Systems Dev
Spacecraft Engineering

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Acreage	600+
Buildings	193

Lab Buildings	~\$2.5B
Equipment & Facilities	~\$1.0B
Replacement Value	~\$3.5B

PATUXENT RIVER
VXS-1 Squadron

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NRL D.C.

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Chesapeake Bay Div
Tilghman Is.
Midway Red Ctr
Blossom Point
Pomonkey

KEY WEST
Marine Corrosion
Facility

MOBILE, AL
Ex-USS Shadwell

BAY ST. LOUIS, MS
John C. Stennis Space Center

* Additional sites based on
sponsor research

MONTEREY, CA



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Research Modified NP-3D	2
AEW Rotodome NP-3D	1
Research Modified RC-12	2
MZ-3A Airship	1
Total Aircraft	5



Scientific Development Squadron ONE (VXS-1)-

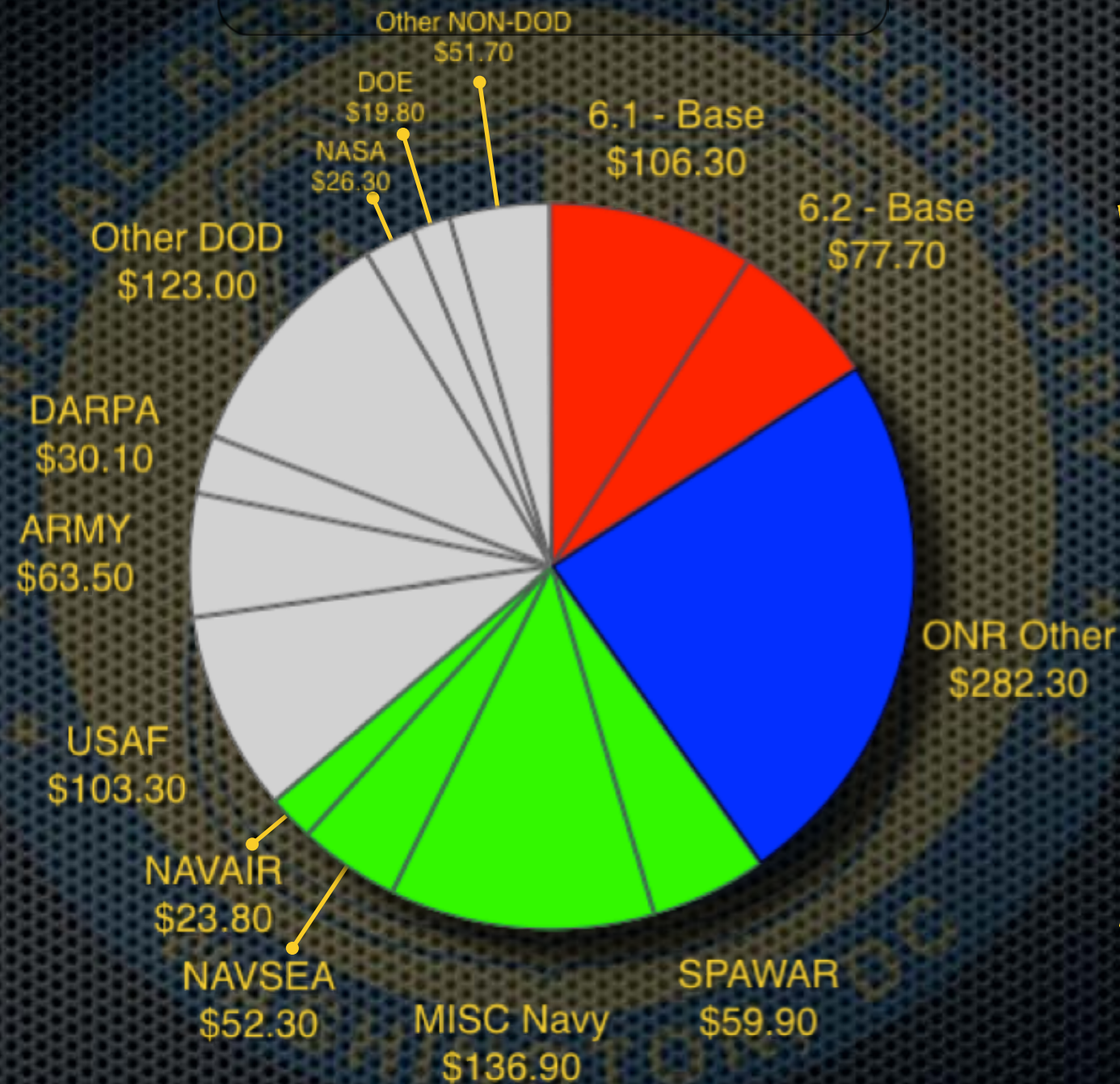
Provides airborne research capability to NRL-Sensor and system test bed,
 airborne surrogate-Worldwide deployable

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SPONSORS

FY09

Income \$1,183.9
Million



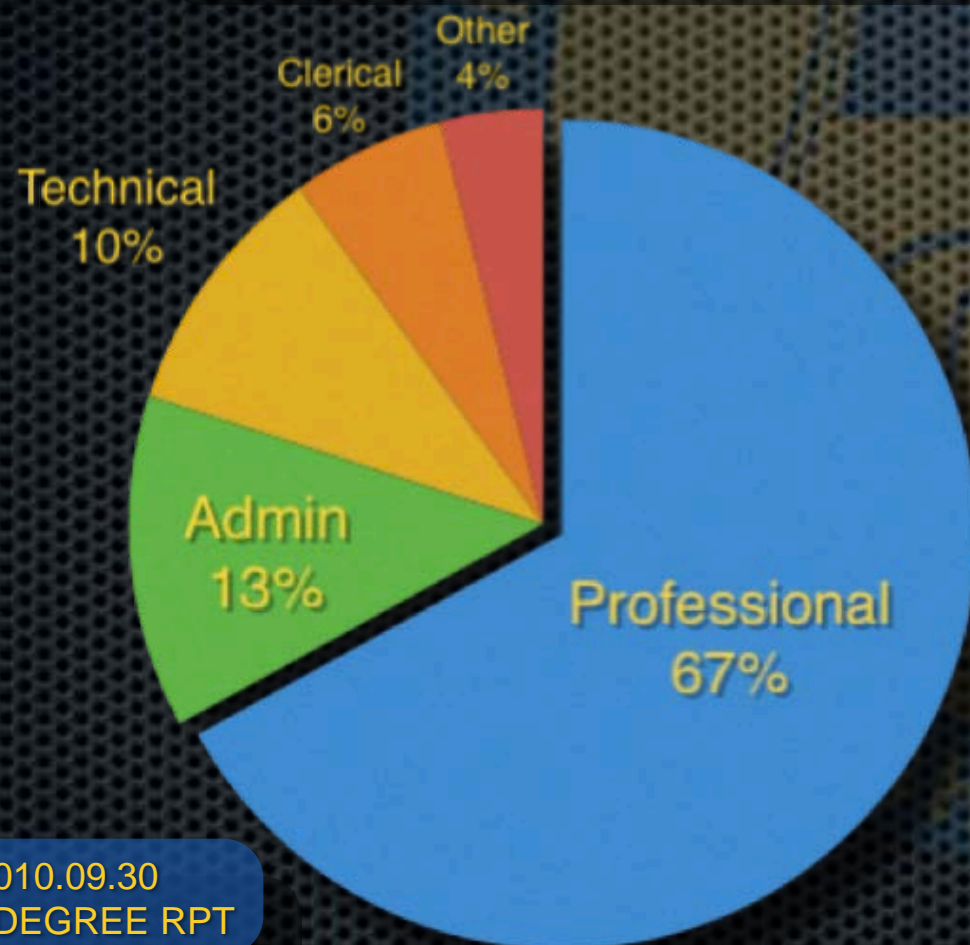
Leveraging Joint
funding for Navy
needs

Navy Funding for
Navy needs

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NRL Personnel FY 09 (Full Time Personnel)

Bachelor	511
Masters	331
Doctorate	756
Total (including WG)	2217



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CEIS DEGREE RPT

Physicists	374
Electrical Engineers	374
Computer Scientists	130
Other Engineers	93
Chemists	93
Mechanical Engineers	62
Aerospace Engineers	53
Oceanographers	53
Meteorologists	51
General Physical Scientists	41
Astronomers	33
Mathematicians	25
Biological Scientists	20
Metallurgists	10
*Other	31
Scientists/Engineers:	1443

* other includes: Geologists, Operations Research Analysts, Health Physicists
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National Academy Membership, 2009

	ANL	BNL	JPL	LANL	LLNL	IBM	NIST	NRL
NAE	3	2	6	4	3	17	10	7
NAS	3	9	0	5	0	11	5	3

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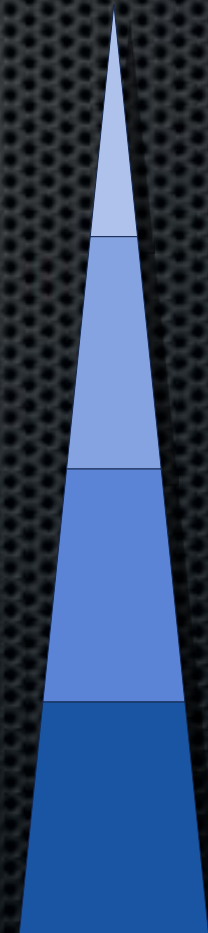
NRL Partnerships

- Partnerships with Industry
 - Cooperative Research and Development Agreements (CRADA)
 - Sale to Third Parties (non-Federal Government)
 - Licensing/Sublicensing
- Partnerships with Universities
 - @1000 collaborations with 250 institutions in 50 states
 - 198 collaborations in 34 foreign countries
- International Agreements/Committees
 - Involvement with 44 nations
- Joint Programs
 - MOA/MOUs

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Primary Mechanisms for Tech Transfer

- Non Disclosure Agreements
- Material Transfer Agreements
- Co-operative Research and Development Agreements (CRADAs)
- Patent Licenses



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Measures of S&T Excellence

Great Science, Right Science, Payoff for the Navy

World Class Science

- Papers, patents, citations, royalties
- Nat'l Academy members, society fellows
- Percent of staff with PhD/advanced degrees
- Prestigious scientific and engineering awards

High Value for DoN

- Transitions & quick responses
- BRAC military value rankings
- Studies by DSB, NDU, NRAC, NAS, etc
 - Outside customers

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World Class Science

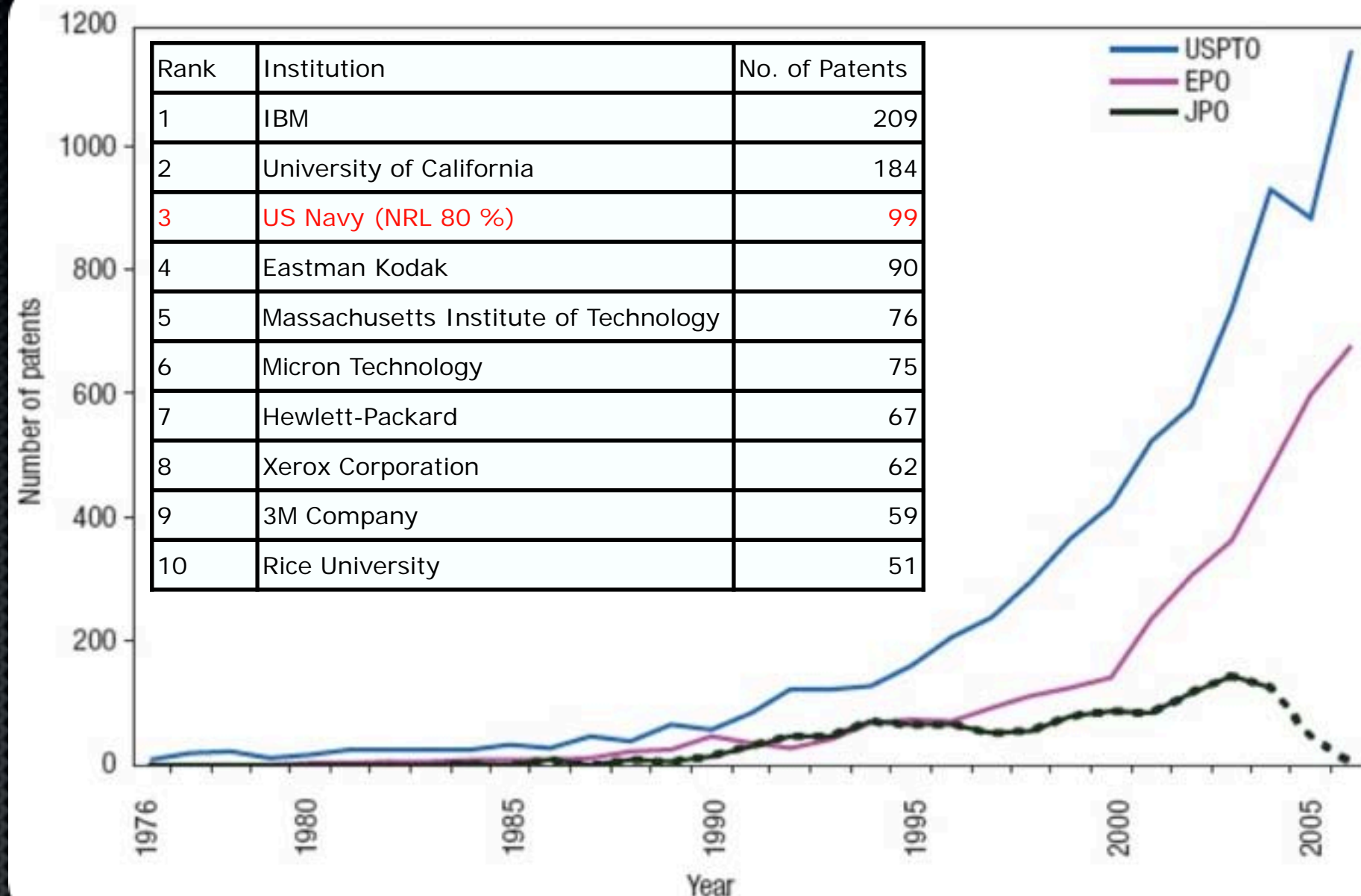
(Linkage between U.S. Scientific Research & Patents)

Top Ten (of 430) U.S. Institutions in Rank Order (an NSF Study Research Policy)

Physics Papers
1. AT&T Bell Labs
2. IBM Corporation
3. Stanford University
4. Bellcore
5. Naval Research Laboratory
6. Lincoln Labs
7. MIT
8. University of Illinois
9. UC Santa Barbara
10. Cornell University

Engineering & Technical Papers
1. AT&T Bell Labs
2. IBM Corporation
3. University of CA Berkeley
4. MIT
5. Stanford University
6. General Electric Company
7. Texas Instruments
8. Naval Research Laboratory
9. UC Santa Barbara
10. Bellcore

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Top Ten Institutions for US Patents in Nanotechnology (1976-2006)
Nature Nanotechnology, Vol. 3, March 2008

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Cover Highlights in S&T Journals



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NRL Commissioned
1923

First radar installed
on USS New York
1939



Vanguard I launched
1958

First U.S. intelligence satellite
1960



Principles of modern
fracture mechanics
1947



Sound Navigation and
Ranging (SONAR)

Plan-Position
Indicator

Liquid Thermal
Diffusion Process

Synthetic lubricants

Improved Aircraft Canopy

Deep Ocean Search

1920

1930

1940

1950

1960

Gamma-Ray Radiography

First U.S. radar
patents

Submarine, airborne &
OTH radars & IFF

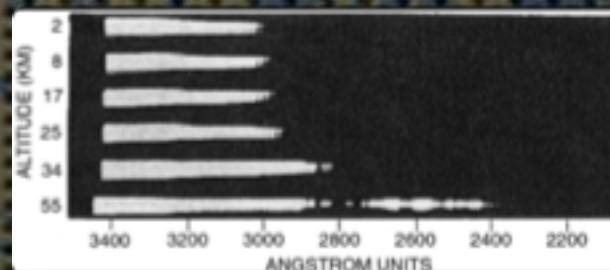
First Detection of
X-Rays from the Sun

submarine life
support

Over the Horizon Radar



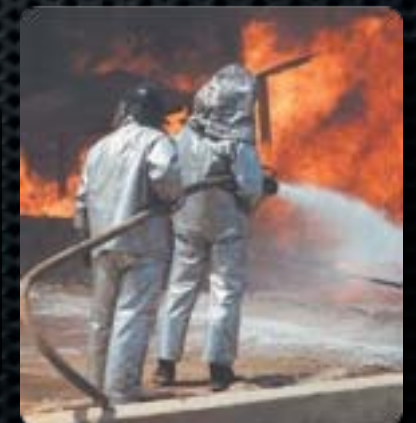
First concept & proposal for
nuclear sub
1939



First experiment in space
1946



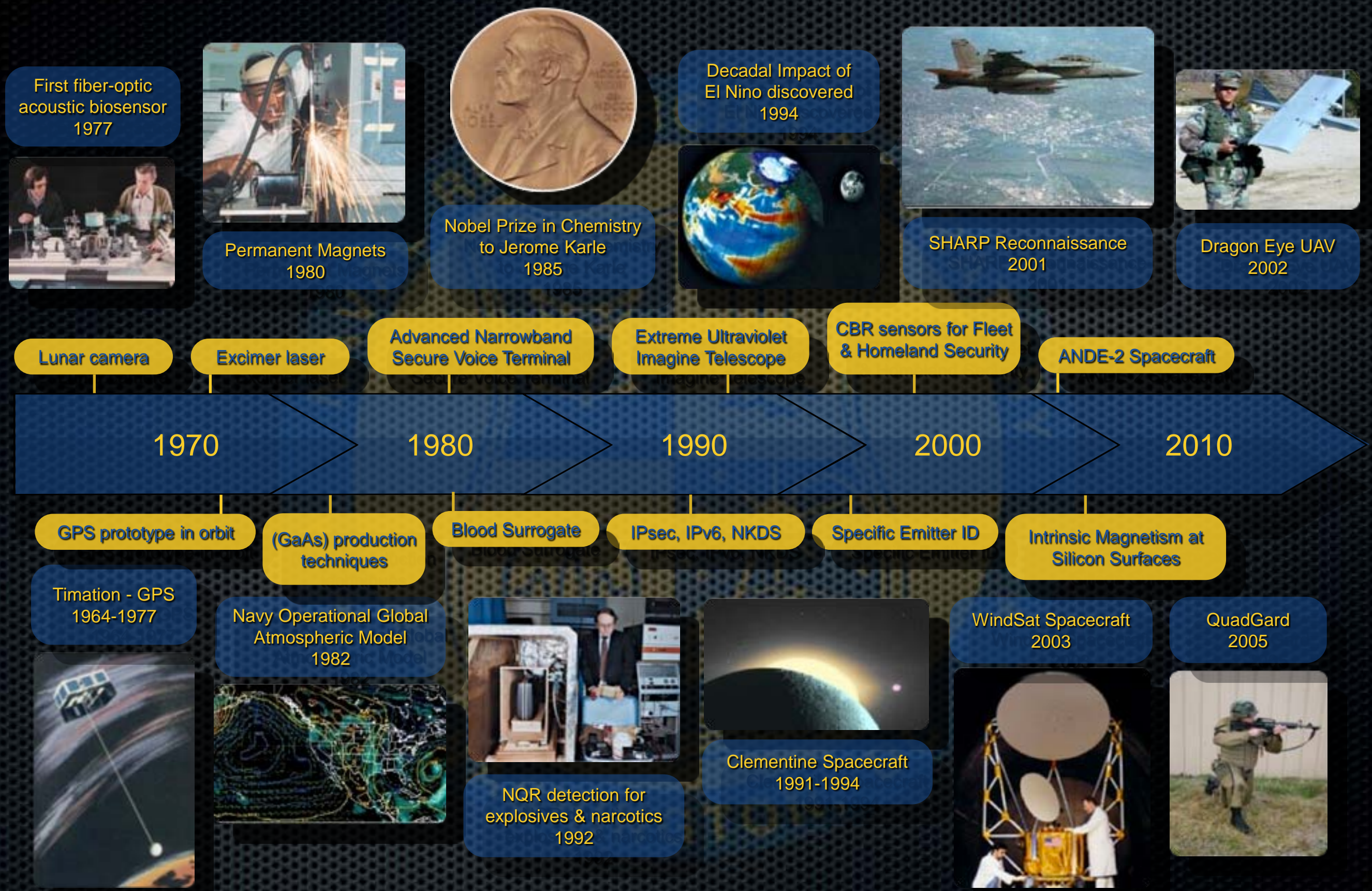
Purple K Powder
1959



Aqueous Film Forming
Foam
1966

Skip distance effect
1925-1926

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